

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (Previously Presented) A registering method for registering a communication apparatus which has not been registered, comprising:

a restriction step of restricting, in a registration mode for registering the communication apparatus which has not been registered, a transmission of a signal transmitted from the communication apparatus which has already been registered, wherein a base station signal is transmitted in the registration mode from a base station to the communication apparatus for restricting the transmission of the signal from the communication apparatus which has been registered in the registration mode.
2. (Original) A registering method as claimed in claim 1 wherein:

said restriction step restricts a transmission of a signal used to produce an outgoing call from the communication apparatus which has already been registered in said registration mode.
3. (Previously Presented) A registering method as claimed in claim 1 wherein:

said restriction step restricts the transmission of the signal from the communication apparatus which has already been registered in response to the base station signal.

4. (Canceled)

5. (Previously Presented) A registering method as claimed in claim 1 wherein: in said restriction step, the base station transmits any one of a first base station signal and a second base station signal depending on whether or not the registration mode is set; said first base station signal is used to restrict the transmission of the signal from the communication apparatus which has already been registered; and said second base station signal is used not to restrict the transmission of the signal from the communication apparatus which has already been registered.

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6. (Original) A registering method as claimed in claim 1 wherein:

in said restriction step, the communication apparatus which has already been registered sets a restriction mode for restricting the transmission of the signal in response to a base station signal which is transmitted by a base station in the registration mode.

7. (Original) A registering method as claimed in claim 1 wherein:

in said restriction step, the communication apparatus which has already been registered restricts the transmission of the signal in response to a base station signal which is transmitted by a base station in accordance with an instruction for setting the registration mode issued from a host which is connected via a public line.

8. (Original) A registering method as claimed in claim 1 wherein:

said signal, the transmission of which is restricted in said restriction step, is transmitted upon releasing of the registration mode.

9. (Previously Presented) A communication system comprising a base station for transmitting a base station signal; and a communication apparatus, wherein when the communication apparatus has not been registered, the communication apparatus performs a communication for registration with the base station in response to the base station signal from the base station , and

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when the communication apparatus has been registered, the communication apparatus restricts a transmission of a signal in response to the base station signal which is transmitted from the base station in a registration mode for registering the communication apparatus which has not been registered.

10 (Previously Presented) A communication system as claimed in claim 9 wherein:

the base station transmits any one of a first base station signal and a second base station signal depending on whether or not the registration mode is set; said first base station signal is used to restrict the transmission of the signal from the communication apparatus which has already been registered; and said second base station signal is used not to restrict the transmission of the signal from the communication apparatus which has already been registered.

11. (Previously Presented) A communication system as claimed in claim 9 wherein:

the communication apparatus which has already been registered restricts the transmission of the signal in response to the base station signal which is transmitted by a base station in accordance with an instruction for setting the registration mode issued from a host which is connected via a public line.

12. (Previously Presented) A base station comprising:
communication means for performing a communication for a registration with a communication apparatus which has not been registered; and
transmission means for transmitting, in a registration mode for registering the communication apparatus which has not been registered, a base station signal for restricting a transmission of a signal from the communication apparatus which has been registered.

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13. (Previously Presented) A base station as claimed in claim 12 wherein:
said transmission means transmits any one of a first base station signal and a second base station signal depending on whether or not the registration mode is set; said first base station signal is used to restrict the transmission of the signal from the communication apparatus which has already been registered; and said second base station signal is used not to restrict the transmission of the signal from the communication apparatus which has already been registered.

14. (Previously Presented) A base station as claimed in claim 12 wherein:
said transmission means transmits the base station signal which restricts the transmission of the signal from the communication apparatus which has already been registered

in accordance with an instruction for setting the registration mode issued from a host which is connected via a public line.

15. (Previously Presented) A communication apparatus comprising:
communication means for performing a communication for a registration with a base station in response to a base station signal; and
restriction means for restricting when the registration has been accomplished, a transmission of a signal in response to the base station signal transmitted from the base station in a registration mode for registering a communication apparatus which has not been registered.

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16. (Previously Presented) A program used for a base station, comprising:
a first program step of performing a communication for registration with a communication apparatus which has not been registered; and
a second program step of transmitting, in a registration mode for registering the communication apparatus which has not been registered, a base station signal for restricting a transmission of a signal from the communication apparatus which has been registered.

17. (Previously Presented) A program as claimed in claim 16 wherein:
in said second program step, any one of a first base station signal and a second base station signal is transmitted depending on whether or not the registration mode is set; said first base station signal is used to restrict the transmission of the signal from the communication apparatus which has already been registered; and said second base station signal is used not to

restrict the transmission of the signal from the communication apparatus which has already been registered.

18. (Previously Presented) A program as claimed in claim 16 wherein:
in said second program step, in response to an instruction for setting a registration mode issued from a host connected via a public line, the base station signal is transmitted which restricts a transmission of a signal from a communication apparatus which has been registered.

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19. (Previously Presented) A program used for a communication apparatus,
comprising:

a first program step of performing a communication for registration with a base station in response to a base station signal; and

a second program step of restricting, when a registration has been completed, a transmission of a signal in response to the base station signal transmitted from the base station in a registration mode for registering a communication apparatus which has not been registered.

20. (Previously Presented) A communication system comprising a communication apparatus and a base station, wherein:

said base station is connected via a public line to a host, and transmits a base station signal in response to a request issued from the host for setting a registration mode for registering the communication apparatus which has not been registered; and

wherein said communication apparatus has been registered, said communication apparatus restricts a transmission of a signal in response to the base station signal transmitted from said base station in the registration mode.

21. (Previously Presented). A communication system as claimed in claim 20 wherein:

said base station selects any one of a first base station signal and a second base station signal; said first base station signal restricts a transmission of a signal from the communication apparatus; and said second base station signal does not restrict the transmission of the signal from the communication apparatus.

22. (Previously Presented) A base station comprising:
reception means for receiving a request from a host connected via a public line for setting a registration mode for registering a communication apparatus which has not been registered; and

transmission means for transmitting in response to the request issued from said host for setting the registration mode, a base station signal for restricting a transmission of a signal from a communication apparatus which has been registered.

23. (Previously Presented). A base station as claimed in claim 22 wherein:
said transmission means selects any one of a first base station signal and a second base station signal; said first base station signal restricts a transmission of a signal from the

communication apparatus; and said second base station signal does not restrict the transmission of the signal from the communication apparatus.

24. (Previously Presented) A signal transmission restricting method comprising:

a reception step of receiving a request from a host via a public line for setting a registration mode for registering a communication apparatus which has not been registered; and
a transmission step of transmitting, in response to the request issued from said host for setting the registration mode, a base station signal for restricting a transmission of a signal from the communication apparatus which has been registered.

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25. (Previously Presented) A signal transmission restricting method as claimed in claim 24 wherein:

said transmission step selects any one of a first base station signal and a second base station signal; said first base station signal restricts a transmission of a signal from the communication apparatus; and said second base station signal does not restrict the transmission of the signal from the communication apparatus.

26. (Previously Presented) A signal transmission restricting program, comprising:

a first program step of receiving a request from a host connected via a public line for setting a registration mode for registering a communication apparatus which has not been registered; and

a second program step of transmitting in response to the request issued from said host for setting the registration mode, a base station signal for restricting a transmission of a signal from the communication apparatus which has been registered.

27. (Previously Presented) A signal transmission restricting program, as claimed in claim 26 wherein:

said second program step selects any one of a first base station signal and a second base station signal; said first base station signal restricts a transmission of a signal from the communication apparatus; and said second base station signal does not restrict the transmission of the signal from the communication apparatus.

28. (New) A registering method as claimed in claim 6, wherein the communication apparatus determines that the restriction mode has been set and, accordingly, places a call request on hold even if the call request has been issued by an internal component of the communication apparatus.